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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Joseph F. Walsh
Application No. : 10/796,896
Filed : March 8, 2004
For : LOW-POWER HAND-HELD TRANSACTION DEVICE
Examiner : Thien Minh Le
Art Unit : 2876
Docket No. : 35006.019C2
Date : March 20, 2006

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RESPONSEINTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action date October 19, 2005, please extend the time to respond two-months, from January 19, 2006 to March 19, 2006. The Petition for Extension of Time and requisite fee is enclosed, please enter the following remarks: